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	Title	MULTI-CHANNEL HEAD POSITION CONTROLLING APPARATUS AND METHOD OF CONTROLLING POSITION OF MULTI-CHANNEL HEAD
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Inventor(s): Yoshinobu Ito


Our Case No. 075834.00408

Utility Patent Application Transmittal (PTO/SB/05), Fee Transmittal for FY 2003 (PTO/SB/17), Letter under 37 CFR §1.53(c); Patent Application (21 pages) with 2 sheets of drawings (Figs. 1-2); executed Oath and Declaration (2 pages); and Submission of Priority Document and Certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. JP2002-193225 filed July 2, 2002.

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Dear Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 CFR §1.41(c) I hereby file the attached application including 4 claims and 2 sheets of drawings on behalf of Yoshinobu Ito and request that this application be assigned a serial number and filing date pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR §1.53(b) and (d).

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